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Small but **Mighty**:

Launching a Successful
Scholarly Communications
Initiative with Limited Resources

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Dominican University of California

A **small university** with a mix of liberal
arts professional programs





Archbishop Alemany Library

6 Librarians

3 Full-time staff





Institutional Repository Staff


1





Institutional Repository Budget

0





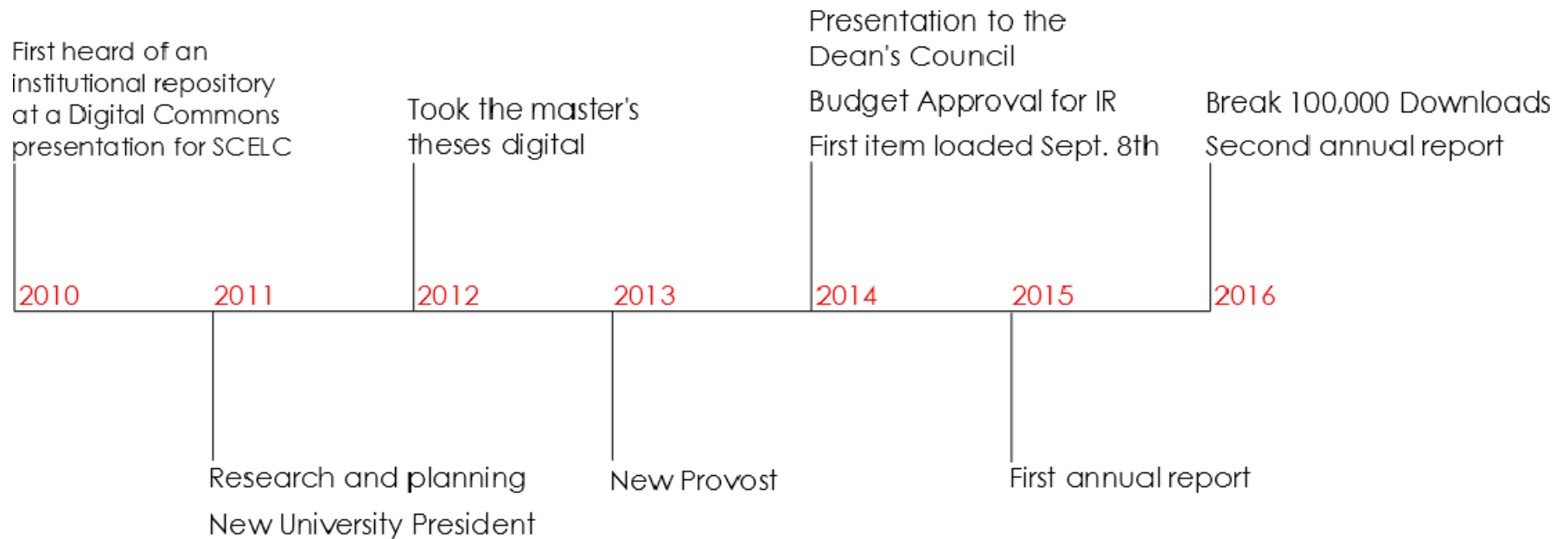
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Talking Points for the Administration

Who are :

1. Your aspirants
2. Your competition





Talking Points for the Administration

Of those, **who has a repository?**





Talking Points for the Administration

How does a repository **fit** with the
university's...

- Vision/mission

- Strategic plan

- Presence

- Institutional learning outcomes





Talking Points for the Administration

How does a repository **help** with:

Engaged learning

Theses and capstone projects

ePortfolios

Institutional Learning Outcomes





Talking Points for the Administration

Is campus IT on board?





Talking Points for the Administration

Make a **cheat sheet** for your
director





Talking Points for the Administration

Make it a point to slip in talk
of an IR where and when
you can





Faculty Engagement

Same issues on a small
campus as a large campus





Faculty Engagement

Advantage of being on a
small campus:


everyone knows each other






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Who are the Library's
groupies?



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University News

Denise Lucy Receives Faculty Achievement Award

Dr. Denise Lucy was named the recipient of the Joseph R. Fink Faculty Achievement Award on October 28 during Convocation 2016 in Angelico Concert Hall. [Read More on Dominican.edu](#)

Faculty/Staff Accomplishments

New OT Faculty Member Focuses on Healthy Lifestyle

Dr. Karen McCarthy, Occupational Therapy, created a lifestyle coaching program for college students while studying for her doctorate at USC. Now, as a new faculty member in the Occupational Therapy Department, she plans to expand this work at Dominican. [Read More on Dominican.edu](#)

Perry Guevara Presents at Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies

Dr. Perry Guevara (English) gave a talk, "Milton's Root Brain: Minimal Cognition in the Garden," at the Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies at the University of Colorado Boulder on Oct. 21.

Wolfgang Schweigkofler Presents at National Workshop

Dr. Wolfgang Schweigkofler (NORS-DUC) presented "Preventing the spread of invasive plant pathogens from nurseries into the environment using heat treatment: lessons learned from *Phytophthora ramorum*, causal agent of Sudden Oak Death" at the 20th Ornamental Workshop on Diseases and Pests in Kanuga, Hendersonville, North Carolina (Oct. 24-27).



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Culture change takes time





Staffing

What staff?





Staffing

Set up the IR so that students
can deposit materials



Staffing

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Hosted IR?

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you want to put into it.





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- Co-chairing student conference
- Starting an OER program
- Created a online guide for theses
- Departments starting to use SW for faculty profiles on the University website
- People are now coming to me with SelectedWorks requests
- And more...

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